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U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE

1936 Price List from
THE RUSTIC GARDENS
BELDING, MICHIGAN

Sec. 562, P. L. & R

Return Postage Guaranteed

NOTICE!

We will have a limited amount of
Plants of the 1936 originations;
also many New Foreign Cactus.
Write for list ready March 1st.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY
Fruit and Vegetable Crops and Diseases

GPO 8-3591

THE RUSTIC GARDENS

Belding, Michigan

To Our Friends:

It is our intention to have every transaction so satisfactory to our customers that it will be a pleasure to do business with us.

We are glad to do everything in our power to accommodate and to show our customers we appreciate their business.

Should there be anything unsatisfactory, we want the opportunity to make it right if we are wrong.

All of the dahlia tubers, dahlia plants and rooted cuttings listed in the following pages are grown by us in our greenhouse or in our field.

Our stock is of the finest quality and we are prepared to fill your order with as high quality tubers and plants as it is possible to produce.

Our tubers are field grown, without stimulating fertilizers, and our plants propagated from selected field grown stock that are true to name.

Our plants are grown cool, and are weather hardened for a week or ten days before shipping. No better plants can be grown, nor procured from anywhere, nor at any price, than the plants we offer you.

Our plants are propagated right, grown right, packed right for shipment and we guarantee them to carry safely to any part of the American continent, and that they will reach you in growing condition.

MINIMUM ORDER. Orders for \$2.00 or over, prepaid, via parcel post or express.

Less than \$2.00, add 10c for postage.

All orders are acknowledged the day received.

Keep a copy of your order. Write name and address plainly.

We are liberal in filling orders, as many of our customers can testify.

Our plants are state and federal inspected, which insures you of disease free plants, roots, tubers and bulbs.

We wish to call your attention to our collections from \$3.00 to \$20.00, and are confident you will find some to your liking.

Therefore, we solicit your trade. If you have never given us an order, give us a small one now. It will receive our most careful attention.

Yours for prize winning dahlias in 1936.

THE RUSTIC GARDENS
Francis Gais, Mgr.

Guarantee

We unreservedly guarantee all stock purchased from us to be true to name and to be satisfactory in every respect. Any stock which proves otherwise will be cheerfully replaced or proper adjustment made immediately. Not responsible in any case for more than actual purchase price.

Notice!

Rooted Dahlia Cuttings

We can furnish rooted cuttings of many of the varieties listed at 25 to 33 1-3% of the tuber price. Send us your list for price before April 1st. Shipment before May 1st.

HONOR ROLL

Dahlia Seed

25 Seeds	\$1.00
50 Seeds	2.00
100 Seeds	3.00

The above seed has been selected from Honor Roll and Blue Ribbon winners and will give you many fine dahlias. Order a package today and grow a few seedlings. Planting instructions included with each package of seed.

Delphinium Special

To introduce our Hybrid Delphinium we will ship prepaid 12 2-year-old plants for \$1.00. This offer expires April 1st.

Glad's

As space does not permit us to list our many varieties, we will ship prepaid 10 each of 5 varieties for \$1.00, or 10 each of 10 varieties for \$1.75. Will include 5 bulbs of Picardy with all orders received before March 15, 1936.

Save The Dates Below

And plan to attend and exhibit at the National Dahlia Show to be held in Detroit, Michigan, September 16-17-18.

Member Michigan Dahlia Society and American Dahlia Society.

OUR LOCATION

The Rustic Gardens are located on M-44, two blocks west of its junction with M-66. Visitors take either trunk line.



WE ARE A CERTIFIED MEMBER
OF THE

DAHLIA SOCIETY OF MICHIGAN

AND AUTHORIZED TO USE THE
SOCIETY'S EMBLEM

THE RUSTIC GARDENS
Belding, Michigan

FOREWORD

On account of limited space our descriptions are brief, being confined to the color. All the varieties in the following list are nationally known and recognized as outstanding in the dahlia world. This list contains a great many of the Honor Roll dahlias and all varieties listed are large-flowered types and have been winners of prizes in the leading shows in the past two years.

(F. D.) Formal Decorative; (I. D.) Informal Decorative; (S. C.) Semi-Cactus.

	Tubers	Plants
Alyce Marie Galvin—I. D.	\$.75	\$.75
White with Cameo Pink		
Amelia Earheart—S. C.	1.25	
Apricot Buff		
America's Sweetheart—I. D.*	5.00	
Large Pure Yellow		
Air Mail—I. D.	1.00	.50
Lavender		
American Legion—S. C.	.75	
Bright Yellow		
Arcturus—F. D.*	.75	
Scarlet Suffused Yellow		
Adirondack Sunset—I. D.*	2.50	
Scarlet and Yellow		
Buckeye Bride—F. D.	.50	
Geranium Pink		
Buckeye King—F. D.	1.50	1.00
Amber Yellow		
Betty Colter	1.00	.50
Salmon Red		
Blue Train—F. D.	.50	
Blue Purple		
Champoeg—I. D.	.50	
True Coral Rose		
Croydon—F. D.	1.00	.50
Pure White		
Chief Justice—I. D.	1.50	.75
Yellow with Rose Suffusion		
Cavalcade—F. D.*	3.50	1.75
Soft Rosy Magenta		
California Idol—I. D.*	5.00	
Yellow, very large		
California Rose—I. D.	5.00	
Bright Rose		
Chautauqua Sunset—F. D.	1.00	
Sunset Colors		
City of Cleveland—I. D.*	2.50	
Large Flame		
Daddy Kemp—I. D.*	2.50	
Burgunday Red, Large		
Doukopol's Triumph—S. C.	1.00	
Straw Yellow		
Dorothy Stone—I. D.	.50	
Deep Rose Pink		
Elissa Landi—F. D.	2.00	1.00
Pink and Buff		
Elizabeth Harding—I. D.	.50	
Coppery Red		

	Tubers	Plants
Florence Flory—S. C.	\$.50	\$.50
Dark Maroon		
Fort Monmouth—I. D.	.75	.50
Rich Wine Red		
Frank Miller—F. D.	.35	
Bright Golden Yellow		
Grover Whalen—F. D.	.50	
Rich Orange		
Golden Goblin—F. D.	.50	
Old Gold		
Grandee—I. D.		1.00
Nopal Red Shaded Orange Yellow		
Great Harbor—I. D.		.50
Rich Carmine		
Hillcrest Fluffy Ruffles—I. D.	1.50	.75
Ruffled Apricot		
Hillcrest Mandarin—I. D.	1.00	.75
Red and Amber		
Hillcrest Royalist—I. D.	1.50	.75
Wine Red		
Hillcrest Swiss Rose		.75
Swiss Rose Color		
Honor Bright—I. D.*		1.00
Peach Red		
Hunt's Velvet Wonder—I. D.*		3.50
Rich Burgandy Red		
Ida Perkins—F. D.	.75	.50
Best White Cut Flower		
Indiana Moon—I. D.	1.50	.75
Flesh Ocher and Spiral Pink		
Jane Cowl—I. D.	.35	
Buff Salmon and Orange		
Janet Southwick—I. D.	.75	.50
Deep Harian Rose		
Jean Trimbee—I. D.		.50
Rich Petunia Violet		
Jerome Kern—I. D.		1.00
Curled Soft Shrimp Pink		
Jersey's Beauty—F. D.	.35	
Most Popular Pink		
Jersey's Beacon—F. D.	.35	
Chinese Scarlet		
Jane Ross—I. D.*		1.50
Purple Crimson		
Josephine G.—S. C.		.50
Bright Rose Pink		
Kemp's Golden Heart—F. D.	1.25	.75
Pure Golden Yellow		
Kathleen Norris—I. D.	.75	.50
Rose Pink		
Kentucky Red—I. D.	1.00	.50
Bright Vivid Scarlet		
Kemp's Violet Wonder—I. D.	.75	.50
Napalline Violet		
Kemp's White Wonder—I. D.	.75	.50
Pure White with Twisted Petals		
Keweah—I. D.	1.50	.75
Fusihia Rose		
La Fiesta—I. D.	1.00	.75
Butter Yellow Penciled Red		
Long Hill—I. D.	1.00	.50
Gold and Rose Shading		
Lady Moyra Ponsonby—I. D.	1.00	
Pure Glowing Yellow		
Lord of Autumn—I. D.	2.00	
Clear Yellow		

	Tubers	Plants
Man o' War—I. D.		\$1.50
Oxblood Red		
Mary Ellen—F. D.	1.00	.50
Violet Rose		
Meadow Brook—F. D.	.75	
Pale Mallow Purple		
Monmouth Radiance—F. D.	2.00	1.00
Coral Pink with Primrose Suffusion		
Mrs. I. De Ver Warner—F. D.	.35	
Deep Lavender Pink		
Murphy's Masterpiece—F. D.		1.00
Velvety Sheened Carmine to Nopal Red		
Myra Howard—F. D.	1.00	.75
Gold with Rose Sheen		
Mrs. G. LeBoutellier—F. D.		2.50
Dark Red		
Monmouth Queen—F. D.		1.00
Pieric Yellow to Cream Yellow		
Monmouth Sunburst—I. D.		1.00
Bronze and Salmon		
Omar Khayyam—F. D.	.75	.50
Chinese Red		
Orinda—I. D.	.75	
Mauve Pink		
Oriental Glory—I. D.		1.00
Deep Orange		
Palo Alto—S. C.	1.50	1.00
Salmon Shading Toward Gold		
Paul Pfitzer—Str. C.		.75
Shell Pink		
Pot o' Gold—F. D.		.75
Gold Color		
Prince of Persia—I. D.	.75	.50
Scarlet Red		
Rainbow End—F. D.		1.00
Salmon		
Robert Emmett—I. D.		1.00
Coral Red		
Rose Fallon—F. D.	.35	
Bronze		
Ruby Taylor—I. D.	1.50	.75
Purplish Red		
Rudy Vallee—S. C.	1.00	.50
Chrome Yellow and Orange Red		
Satan—S. C.		.75
Flaming Red Heronlike Petals		
Shahrazad—I. D.	.75	.50
Gorgeous Deep Pink		
Sultan of Hillcrest—F. D.	2.00	1.00
Strontian Yellow		
Star of Bethlehem—S. C.	1.00	.65
Pure White		
The Fireman—I. D.	2.75	1.50
Cardinal Red with Gold Flushes		
The World—F. D.	.50	
Rich Deep Rose with Silver Shading		
The Commodore—I. D.	.35	
Lemon Yellow		
Thomas Edison—I. D.	.50	
Royal Purple		
W. H. T.—F. D.	.35	
Old Rose		
Washington Giant—I. D.		1.25
Lavender with Orchid Tints		
Wenoka—F. D.*	10.00	5.00
Rosey Mauve		
Varieties marked	1935	originations.

Extra Plants

On all plant orders for \$5.00 you may select plant of Murphy Masterpiece, Buckeye King or Lord of Autumn.

On all plant orders for \$10.00 you may select plant of City of Cleveland or Cavalcade.

On all plant orders for \$15.00 we will include a plant of Wenoka.

SPECIAL OFFERS

Spring Delivery

TUBERS - PLANTS

Spring Delivery

**Quality
Prompt Delivery
and
Reasonable Prices**

Special Offer No. 1—Tubers

Hillcrest Mandarin
White Wonder
W. H. T.
The Commodore
Kathleen Norris
Orinda

Any 6 tubers \$3.00

With each order for the entire 12 tubers we will include
a tuber of Ruby Taylor or Mary Ellen FREE

Fort Monmouth
Janet Southwick
Meadowbrook
Omar Khayyam
Air Mail
Elizabeth Harding

Entire 12 \$4.50

**Fairness
In All Dealings
Brings
Repeat Orders**

Special Offer No. 2—Tubers

Monmouth Radiance
Elissa Landi
Myra Howard
Indiana Moon
Palo Alto

Any 5 tubers \$5.00

Sultan of Hillcrest
Star of Bethlehem
Hillcrest Fluffy Ruffles
Hillcrest Mandarin
Rudy Vallee

Entire 10 tubers \$9.00

With each order for entire 10 tubers we will include a
tuber of Cavalcade or The Fireman FREE

Special Offer No. 3—Plants

Washington Giant
Arcturus
Croyoden
Elissa Landi
Cavalcade
Champoe

Any 4 \$4.00

Any 8 \$6.00

All 12 \$10.00

With each order for the entire 12 we will include a
plant of Hunt's Velvet Wonder or City of Cleveland

Lord of Autumn
Sultan of Hillcrest
Jane Ross
Monmouth Queen
Buckeye King
Murphy's Masterpiece

Special Offer No. 4—Plants

Hunt's Velvet Wonder
Buckeye King
Lord of Autumn
California Idol
Mrs. Geo. LeBoutellier
Sultan of Hillcrest

Any 4 \$10

Any 8 \$15

Entire 12 \$20

With each order for the entire 12 plants we will include
a plant of Wenoka FREE

Satan
The Fireman
Cavalcade
City of Cleveland
Monmouth Queen
Daddy Kemp

Special Offer No. 5—Plants

The following are the finest for cut flowers
Cactus and Miniatures

Miss Belgium
Paul Pfitzer
Andre Hofer
Altamark
Mde. Florence Bream
Star of Bethlehem

Any 4 \$2.50

Any 8 \$4.50

Entire 12 \$6.00

With each order for the entire 12 plants we will include
a plant of Bruce Collins FREE

Frau O. Bracht
Better Times
Baby Royal (Min.)
Little Nemo (Min.)
Fairy (Min.)
Jersey Dainty

ORDER NOW—PAY LATER

Not necessary to send full cash
with order if it is not conveni-
ent. A small deposite of only 25
per cent will reserve any of the
above splendid offers,—pay
balance any time before May
1, 1936.

WENOKA



SPECIAL ASSORTMENTS

Send us your want list on any
special combinations of clumps,
roots or plants. We grow many
varieties not listed in this fold-
er and will gladly quote you
by return mail.

Wencka—We consider this one of
the best Dahlias in our 1935 planting



**Thousands
of
Customers
Throughout
the
United
States**

The above is a view of our Modern Greenhouse and packing room; also a partial view of our planting of 10,000 Dahlias in 1935.

Our Dahlias are not forced for exhibition bloom but properly fertilized to make strong, healthy, matured roots.

Thousands of visitors from many states visit our gardens annually and view the New Creations and the Standard varieties; also a fine collection of Foreign Varieties, and many of the Miniatures and Pom Poms.

**You Get the
Advantage
of
Better Prices
by
Growing
Our Plants**

